

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Raphel *et al.*

Application number: 09/912,401

Filed: July 26, 2001

For: *SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM TO
MAXIMIZE SERVER THROUGHPUT WHILE AVOIDING
SERVER OVERLOAD BY CONTROLLING THE RATE OF
ESTABLISHING SERVER-SIDE NETWORK
CONNECTIONS*

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 24, 2008, and preliminary to further examination in accordance with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.